CULTURE

SHOPPING AND MONEY

1 **In pairs, discuss the questions.**

1 Where do you usually go shopping?
2 Do you or your parents ever shop in markets?

2 **Match the types of markets to the photos.**

food market clothes market
antiques market flower market









How many objects can you name that you can buy in these markets? Do you have similar markets in your country?

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Amazing MARKETS

A You should definitely visit the Queen Victoria Market in Melbourne, Australia. The market started in the 1870s. Today, it's open every morning on Tuesdays and Thursdays to Sundays. There's also a night market on Wednesdays from 5 to 10 pm. There are more than 600 shops and stalls in the market. The fresh-food areas sell fruit and vegetables, cakes, fish and meat (including kangaroo and crocodile steaks!).



B Hell's Kitchen market is an outdoor street market in New York, USA. It only opens at weekends from 9 am to 5 pm, with nearly a hundred stalls on the streets – but if the weather is bad, there aren't so many people selling or buying. It started in 1976, and you can buy antiques, such as old furniture or clothes and jewellery. If you enjoy music, it is a great place to visit because there are often jazz concerts, and you can buy musical instruments there, as well. Local artists also show their paintings, sculptures and photos.

C St Lawrence Market in Toronto, Canada, started in 1803, but they built the buildings you can see today in 1904. The market is open Tuesday to Saturday from 8 am to early evening. You can buy many different things there from more than 100 stalls, especially fresh food and delicious homemade products. A fun thing to do is cookery classes in the Market Kitchen. Here, you can learn to make different dishes and take them home to eat! The farmers' market opens on Saturdays at 5 am, and local farmers come to sell meat, fruit, vegetables, eggs, etc.

3 Read about three famous markets. Which one isn't a food market?

- ○ Queen Victoria Market
- ○ Hell's Kitchen market
- ○ St Lawrence Market

4 Read the text again and answer the questions. Which market(s) ...

1 is sometimes open at 9 pm? [ ]

2 has fewer visitors if it is raining? [ ]

3 can you buy a guitar in? [ ]

4 is over 100 years old? [ ]

5 can you learn to cook in? [ ]

6 sells unusual meat? [ ]

7 is the biggest? [ ]

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5 Find words in the text that match the definitions.

1 a kind of small shop (text A) _____

2 a piece of meat (text A) _____

3 rings, necklaces, etc. (text B) _____

4 a kind of music (text B) _____

5 constructed (text C) _____

6 food that people prepare themselves (text C) _____

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112 **6 Listen to Alice talking to her friend Dan about a market in London. Which part of the market did she like most?**

112 **7 Listen again. Are these statements right (✓) or wrong (✗)?**

1 Alice went to Camden Lock Market last Saturday. ⌄

2 Camden Lock Market is very big. ⌄

3 You can buy fresh fruit and vegetables in the market. ⌄

4 Alice ate pizza in the market. ⌄

5 Alice bought three T-shirts and a handbag. ⌄

6 Alice's friend Lisa likes Justin Bieber. ⌄

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TALKING POINTS

Which market would you like to visit: Queen Victoria, Hell's Kitchen, St Lawrence or Camden Lock? Explain why.

PROJECT *A market*

Find out about a famous market in your country. Make a poster to present the information to the class. Use pictures and photos to make the poster more interesting. Include information about:

- where it is
- when it is open
- what you can buy, see and do there.

Present your poster to the class.

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